

ADMISSION NOTICE



BANGLADESH UNIVERSITY OF PROFESSIONALS (BUP)

Mirpur Cantonment, Dhaka - 1216

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ADMISSION: MPhil & PhD PROGRAMMES (SESSION: 2019-2020)

Applications are invited for admission to PhD and MPhil programmes starting from January 2020. The fields or areas in which these programmes are offered:

- a. Faculty of Business Studies. Management, Accounting, Finance & Banking and Marketing.
- b. Faculty of Arts and Social Science. English, Public Administration, Economics, Sociology, Disaster & Human Security Management and Development Studies.
- c. Faculty of Security and Strategic Studies. Peace, Conflict & Human Rights, International Relations, Mass Communication & Journalism and Law.
- d. Faculty of Science and Technology. Computer Science & Engineering, Information & Communication Engineering and Environmental Science.
- e. Faculty of Medical Studies. Food & Nutrition, Pharmacy, Public Health & Informatics and Dental Science.

Please visit <http://bup.edu.bd/files/Preferred-Fields-Areas.pdf> for preferred fields / areas of research topics.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO MPhil PROGRAMME

For the admission to the MPhil Programme, candidates must have the following qualifications:

1. 04 years Honours & 01 year Master Degree / 03 years Honours & 01 year Master Degree / 03 years Bachelor Degree & 01 year Master Degree / 02 years Bachelor Degree & 02 years Master Degree / MBBS/ Engineering.
2. Candidates must have 1st division or GPA-5 out of 5 both in SSC and HSC.
3. Candidates must have 55% marks or CGPA-3.50 out of 4 both in Under-graduate and Post-graduate programmes.
4. Candidates having any of the above degree from private university of Bangladesh or from any foreign university should apply first to Central Equivalence Committee of BUP for necessary approval. For equivalence required fees are applicable.
5. Candidates must have at least 02 years of teaching/research work experience in a recognized degree level educational institution or at least 05 years of job experience in government/private/autonomous/semi autonomous body/institutions.

ELIGIBILITY CRITERIA FOR ADMISSION TO PhD PROGRAMME

For the admission to the PhD Programme, Candidates must have the following qualifications:

For MPhil Qualified Candidates

1. MPhil qualified from any Public University. Candidates qualified MPhil programme from any foreign university should first apply to Central Equivalence Committee of BUP for necessary approval. For equivalence required fees are applicable.
2. Candidates qualified honours and/or masters degree from private university of Bangladesh or from any foreign university should first apply to Central Equivalence Committee of BUP for necessary approval. For equivalence required fees are applicable.
3. Candidates must have 03 years of teaching experience in a recognized degree level educational institution or at least 03 years of research work experience from any recognized research institution or at least 06 years job experience at government/private/autonomous/semi-autonomous body/ institutions.
4. Candidates must have at least 02 research oriented publications in the related subject in peer reviewed national or international journal having ISSN.

For Candidates who are not MPhil Qualified

1. Candidates with 3/4 years honours and one year Master Degree may apply. Candidates having 2 years Bachelor and 2 years Master Degree may also apply. Candidates qualified honours and/or masters degree from private university of Bangladesh or from any foreign university should first apply to Central Equivalence Committee of BUP for necessary approval. For equivalence required fees are applicable.
2. Candidates must have 1st division or GPA-5 out of 5 both in SSC and HSC.
3. Candidates must have 55% marks or CGPA-3.50 out of 4 both in Under-graduate and Post-graduate programmes.
4. Candidates must have at least 06 years of teaching experience in a recognized degree level educational institution or 06 years of research work experience in a recognized research institution or at least 08 years of job experience in government/private/autonomous/semi autonomous body/ institutions.
5. Candidates must have at least 02 research oriented publications in the related subject in a peer reviewed national or international journal having ISSN.
6. Candidates having MS in Engineering or MPH/MS/MD in Medical or equivalent with above mentioned qualifications may also apply.

SPECIAL NOTES FOR MPhil AND PhD PROGRAMME

1. Requirement and terms may be relaxed for the candidates having adequate experience in the relevant field with a good research proposal.
2. Candidate having 3rd division/class and equivalent GPA/CGPA at any public examination cannot apply for admission.
3. Candidate registered with any university (including BUP) in any programme cannot apply for admission.

APPLICATION PROCEDURE

1. Application Form can be downloaded from the "Admission > MPhil and PhD Programmes" link of BUP website: www.bup.edu.bd or can be collected from the Centre for Higher Studies and Research (CHSR), Room No: 1214, 12th Floor, Academic Block of BUP.
2. Application Processing Fee amounting Tk. 5,000.00 (Five thousand only) must be deposited at any Trust Bank branch in favor of Centre for Higher Studies and Research, BUP, Trust Bank Ltd, A/C Number 0028-0210008998. After deposition, please collect the Trace ID from the bank and endorse it in serial 17 of the application form.

3. Application must be submitted to “Centre for Higher Studies and Research (CHSR)”, Room No-1214, 12th Floor, Academic Block of BUP.

4. Candidates have to attach following documents along with the application:

- a. Approval letter from employer or from appropriate authority for the candidates who are working in a public or private organization.
- b. Five copies of passport size photo.
- c. Attested copies of all academic mark/ grade sheets/transcripts.
- d. Attested copies of all academic certificates.
- e. Evidence letter/certificate of related research work/teaching/other service experiences.
- f. Original copy of Bank Deposit Slip for application processing fee.
- g. Copy(s) of published articles (MPhil applicants may also attach).
- h. Original copy of Migration Certificate.
- i. Five copies of synopsis on the proposed title of research covering following heads:
 - (1) Title
 - (2) Introduction.
 - (3) Problem statement.
 - (4) Rationale of the study.
 - (5) Research Questions or Hypothesis.
 - (6) Research Objectives.
 - (7) Literature Review.
 - (8) Research Gap.
 - (9) Methodology.
 - (10) References.

(The Length/Size of the Synopsis should not exceed 5 Pages and Font Size should be 12)

5. For any query, please contact mobile number: 01769021563/ 01769028741 between 09:00 am to 02:00 pm during working days or drop your message to chsr@bup.edu.bd

| ADMISSION SCHEDULE | |
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| Application submission deadline | 07 November 2019 |
| Publication of list of Eligible candidates for Viva-voce on BUP website (www.bup.edu.bd) | After 1500 hours 21 November 2019 |
| Viva-voce | 28 November – 05 December 2019 |
| Publication of list of Finally selected candidates on BUP website (www.bup.edu.bd) | After 1500 hours 12 December 2019 |
| Finally selected candidates must complete all admission formalities | 15–26 December 2019 |
| Course Work Class commences | 03 January 2020 |

Note

1. Application will be treated as cancelled for hiding any information or providing incorrect information in any stage of admission.
2. The university authority reserves the right to cancel/modify/change any information/instructions given in this advertisement.
3. Equivalence fees are given below:

| Serial | Name of Degree | Equivalence Fee | | Remarks |
|--------|---|--------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| | | Private University of BD | Any Foreign University | |
| 1. | Diploma/ Bachelor/ Honours / Equivalent | 6,000.00 | 8,000.00 | |
| 2. | Masters/ Equivalent | 7,000.00 | 10,000.00 | |
| 3. | MPhil /PhD/ Equivalent | - | 12,000.00 | |

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